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C O N F I D E N T I A L ISLAMABAD 5943

COLOMBO FOR AMBASSADOR

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: PAKISTAN-SRI LANKA RELATIONS

1. PAK MFA DELEGATION LED BY FOREIGN SECRETARY AGHA SHAHI AND DIRECTOR GENERAL (SOUTH ASIA) HAYAT MEHDI PLANS VISIT SRI LANKA JULY 3-5 TO CONSULT WITH GSL OFFICIALS. VISIT HAS BEEN PLANNED FOR SOME TIME. PAKS EXPECT TO DISCUSS BROAD RANGE OF REGIONAL ISSUES AND WILL DOUBTLESS SEEK TO DRUM UP SUPPORT FOR THEIR PROPOSAL, UNVEILED AT INDO-PAK NEGOTIATING SESSION AT NEW DELHI LAST MONTH (ISLAMABAD 4845), FOR SOUTH ASIAN MULTILATERAL DECLARATION AGAINST USE OF NUCLEAR ENERGY FOR NON-PEACEFUL PURPOSES BY REGIONAL COUNTRIES. (WE UNDERSTAND THAT SHAHI DISCUSSED ISSUE WITH MRS. BANDARANAIKE DURING HER STOPOVER AT KARACHI AIRPORT AERLIER THIS MONTH.) DIFFERING APPROACHES OF TWO GOVERNMENTS TO INDIAN OCEAN ZONE OF PEACE CONCEPT IS ALSO LIKELY TO COME UP AT SESSIONS. WE

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WOULD ALSO THINK IT NATURAL FOR PAKS TO WISH TO

COMPARE NOTES WITH SRI LANKANS ON SIGNIFICANCE TO
REGIONAL COUNTRIES OF INDIAN POLITICAL DEVELOPMENTS.

2. FOR COLOMBO: PERSONAL NOTE. WE HAD INVITED BOTH
SHAH AND MEHDI TO OUR FOURTH OF JULY RECEPTION. WE
WOULD HOPE THAT AS AN OLD PAKISTAN HAND YOU WOULD
WANT TO INCLUDE THEM IN YOUR OWN CELEBRATIONS IF
APPROPRIATE. WE ARE CLOSE TO BOTH OF THEM AND KNOW
THAT THEY WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR HAVING THEM AROUND
(AS WOULD WE).

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